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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

- ☒ First Amendment and Response to Office Action.
☒ Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR §1.136
☒ PTO-2038
☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
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FIRST AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTIONMail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed January 26, 2005, a six-month period of filing a Response to which expires July 26, 2005, applicants respectfully request amendment of the application and reconsideration of the application based upon the amendments and the following remarks.

Applicants request a three-month extension of time to submit a response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2005. A Petition for Extension of Time and Form PTO-2038 are enclosed herewith authorizing the charge to cover the fee for three-month extension.

Amendments to Claims start on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks start on page 7 of this paper.

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